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PLAN TO DISCREDIT MRS. ANNIS' STORY

Defense Attorneys Disconcerted by Widow's Recital.

MISSING WITNESS HAS BEEN FOUND

John Tonning, Boatman Who Saw Murder, Is Expected to Give Clearest Account.

FLUSHING, L. I., Dec. 22.-Attorneys for T. Jenkins Hains are very busy to-day planning to discredit the testimony Arnold, a chiropractic physician, 825 day planning to discredit the testimony arnold, a chiropractic physician, 825 given by Mrs. William E. Annis, which Fifteenth street northwest, was forced more than anything else threatens to against the wheel of a passing wagon send the sallor-author to the electric and seriously injured this morning. chair for participation in the murder of

by Hains' lawyer, and will certanly be eral ribs were fractured, and it is be a witness for the defense. Tonning's lieved she is internally hurt. name has figured thoughout the testishooting, and he was the one cool man immediate treatment. on the float at the time. He, of all Dr. Arnold's chauffeur had not yet others, can tell just what occurred, and arrived and there was no one at the John F. McIntyre, Hains' counsel, virtually admitted that Tonning had been found and would be called soon after the opening of the defendant's side of the case.

It was further intimated by a mar contradict the beckoning incident re-ferred to by the widow of Annis will to support Mrs. Annis' story. McIntyre

an matter how damaging his story may be to our side in other respects. Attorneys Darrin and White, supremely confident in the success of their case, are prepared to call half a dozen witnesses to tie up the loose ends. One of these is Martin Skura, the hack driver who drove the Hains brothers to the club. He will swear that T. Jenkins Hains turned to the captain when he saw Mrs. Arnis and her children in the club stage and said: "We have got him now." Skura could not identify Thornton Hains before, but now it has been shown by Mrs. Annis. Ellison, the waiter. Eurchfield, and Roberts that the Hains brothers were Skura's passengers, and this is expected to make the evidence of Skura pertinent.

Mysterious Witness.

Prior to the arrival of Justice Crane, T. Jenkins Hains had a long and aniated conversation with his father, eneral Hains, and his brother, Major

Just as Justice Crane took his seat day, answering Henry Reuterdahl's asher following statement:

"After a conference of counsel we have that Roosevelt, during the period "was that Roosevelt, during the period "was that Roosevelt, during the period "was the cher, and J. T. Smitzer.

decided to call as one of our material the Navy Department." witnesses for the defense a member of the Bayside Yacht Club, who was on

Tries to Get Gun.

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"At that time Thornton Hains had a cocked revolver in his hand," swore Downs. "I asked those present if they searched the captain, and I started to do so. As I did so Thornton Hains pushed me aside and told me to get back, as it was a job for the police. I told him he must think us fools to let

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THE HAGUE, Dec. 22—It was officially announced in parliament today that Queen Wilhelmina expects to be accouched soon. She is reported to be in perfect health, and all Holland is praying that there may be an heir to the throne.

Miss Lizzle Fort, Winston Pacher, Miss Gauchauner, Harry Jones, J. D. Smith, Mrs. Dan Morgan, Victor Stewart, Merrick Eastman, R. K. Vaughn, Sergeant Meadows, Will Murray, W. T. Jones, John Priest, Laps D. McCord, jr., John Battle colored, and Henry Bell, colored.

SAYS CONGRESSMEN

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WEATHER REPORT.

The center of the southern storm has noved eastward to Georgia, and the trea of precipitation has extended orthward over the Atlantic coast States

Cook of Colorado Declares Senator Guggenheim and Representative Haggott Work for Fuel and

to Virginia.

Moderate temperatures are still the rule, although it is colder than Monday in the north Atlantic coast States.

The winds along the middle Atlantic coast will be fresh northeasterly, probably increasing and becoming strong.

Steamers denarting today for European ports will have fresh northeasterly winds with threatening weather and possibly snow to the Grand Banks.

Representative Cook of Colorado, who once held up a whole railroad division while he rescued some imprisoned miners, come down to the White House where the cook's colleagues, Messrs. Hagthis mort ig, determined to make an- gott and Guggenheim, and has made an FORECAST FOR THE DISTRICT. For the District of Columbia, snow or rain this afternoon, tonight, and Wed-nesday; nearly stationary temperature; fresh northeasterly winds, increasing. other fight, this time against two of his unfavorable report on the bill on their colleagues, Senator Guggenheim and representations. Representative Haggott. And in his fight, Mr. Cook is not mincing words, for he told the news-And in his light, Mr. Cook is not mincing words, for he told the newspapermen that Mr. Guggenheim and Mr. Haggott are special counsel for the Colorado Fuel and Iron Company, which is the concern he is really fighting, and, furthermore, insisted that Atterney General Bonaparte has been was approved.

TEMPERATURE.

WOMAN RUN DOWN BY HER OWN AUTO

Dr. Alma Arnold's Machine Starts as Crank Is Turned.

SHE IS CRUSHED BY WAGON WHEEL

At Hospital Examination Shows Fractured Ribs and Other Injuries.

Run down by her own automobile which she was cranking at First and

She was taken to the Healtharium i Annis. the Casualty Hospital ambulance, but her condition was found to be such as ing of court this morning that John not to permit an examination that Tonning, the missing boatman of the would determine the full extent of her Bayside Yacht Club, has been located injuries. It is said, however, that sev-

name has figured thoughout the testi-mony in the case as that of one of the a telephone message was received at most important witnesses. It was Ton-ning who, it is said, knocked the pistol cian's patients, who lives in the northfrom Captain Hains' hand just after the east section of the city, was in need of

what he says will have the most important bearing upon the damaging tesmobile, a gasolene runabout, except the doctor herself. Dr. Arnold reached her patient's house safely, and was on her way back, when the automobile suddenly stopped on the car tracks at First and G streets.

Getting out of the machine, Dr. Arnold started to crank the engine. She c'ose to the defense that the yacht had neglected, however, to throw out club member who McIntyre expects to the clutch. The automobile started suddenly and Dr. Arnold was forced against the rear wheel of a heavy debe made to tell that he was asked by livery wagon that was coming down Elmer S. White, Darrin's assistant, to G street. The driver managed to stop change his story of the shooting so as his horses almost immediately, and



DR. ALNA C. ARNOLD.

stood how to stop the machine, and when several men attempted to extricate her by pulling the wagon back the runabout shot forward with a jump, hurling her to the paving.

An effort to haul the automobile away was unsuccessful, as the automobile defied the attempts of the men to pull it backward. Finally Dr. Arnold managed to tell one of the men how to turn a switch that would stop the car.

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Waived Right to Be

Released.

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These two statesmen, Mr. Cook de

clares, have asserted that the Legis-

Iron Corporation.

BY NAVY, SAYS LONG

Answers Reuterdahl's

Praise of President.

ROOSEVELT UNSUNG- CARMACK'S SLAYER

TO ESCAPE IS BALKED

Officiais Hear of Bold Plan and Handcuff the Accused.

EXTRA GUARDS ARE PROVIDED

Court Reopens With Witness Who Tells of Burning of Fish Docks.

UNION CITY, Tenn., Dec. 22. Handcuffed and under guard of deputy sheriffs and eight soldiers, the eight alleged night riders, indicted on the charge of murdering Capt. Quentin Rankin at Reel Foot Lake, were brought into the circuit court room at 8:30 o'clock this morning.

The handcuffing of the accused and the addition of the soldiers to the number of guards was due to the receipt of information by the authorities that two of the prisoners had been overheard making plans to escape by breaking away from the deputy sheriffs while going to or return-ing from the court house. The names of the two prisoners have not been made public

Dash for Liberty.

It is thought that the plan formed

Dr. Arnold, it will be remembered, gained considerable notoriety about a year ago when she was brought before the Police Court on a charge of practicing medicine without a license. On the outcome of the case depended the future status of chiropractics and osteopaths in the District of Columbia, and of whom were disguised and carried guns, and who forced him to fill a wo-gallon jug with oil and go to the locks, where under orders, he called to Walter Pleasant and Fred Burdick, he former being a partner, and the atter a son of J. C. Burdick, the principal proprietor of the docks, to rincipal proprietor of the docks, to he called burdicks.

FIGHTING FOR BAIL Former Secretary of Navy State Contends That Coopers the West Tennessee Land Company and told that if he did not do so he would

General Hains, and his brother, Major Hains. Both were plainly downcast and the defendant did his best to cheer the defendant did his best to the motion for Both devicting the base difference of the mittable develong the deviction of the from that body, he was waylaid by night riders and told that he would take his choice. He replied during his brief career as Assistant ing on the motion for bail for Robin torney General Caldwell, "did you run?" and the answer came promptly, "You ought to have seen me."

Gave Names of Riders.

Mr. Long says that this is fulsome and obsequious, and an almost unfair reflection both on him and the chief of ter, W. H. Washington, M. H. Meeks, Martin Leonard and Mrs. Martin the float at the time of the killing. I cannot give you his name, but he will swear positively that at no time during that attention was Mrs. Allillam E. Annis on the float and that Captain Hains was on the float and fhoriton Hains still on the runway when the shooting began. He says that when the first witness. He swore that his protest, went over to the army, the first governor of Porto Rico, did just as good work.

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OVER DUTCH PALACE

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Miss Lizzie Fort, Winston Picher, Miss nesses today on the ground that it was Gauchauner, Harry Jones, J. D. Smith, incompetent and irrelevant because it report at the Municipal Building and

NIGHT RIDERS' PLOT COSBY COMES IN; MORROW LEAVES



MAJOR SPENCER COSBY, The New Commissioner,

Pleasant and Burdick came to the foor of their house with revolvers and were ordered to leave the lake. The factor of has and ignited. The docks of the troy of together with much fishing factor of the night riders also when do by Burdick & Co., but finally oncluded not to do so.

This "trivial" matter is said to have

refer giving the occupants notice to leave, and applied the torch to these dwellings. Shaw was warned to leave the lake because he was connected with the West Tennessee Land Commany and

An intimation from one in authority that a resolution is to be introduced in BOSTON, Dec. 22.—"Mr. Roosevelt luring his brief career as Assistant inc. on the notice of the protection of the protection of the interesting sidelights de-

MAJOR J. J. MORROW,

The Retiring Commissioner.

8 BRIBERY ARRESTS

Councilmen and Bankers Ac-

cused of Grafting—Many

Order Imperative.

"Relieve Major Jay J. Morrow at

This is in substance a telegram re-

TORK IS HOVERING

OVER DUTCH PALACE

The following witnesses have used docks and identified Sam Applewhite, summoned: Mrs. C. D. Carmack, Mrs. One of the defendants, as having been one of the defendants, as having been ington. He was recommended to succeed Major Morrow, and within two hours after the receipt of the first much of the testimony given by with the ground that it was recreased to the destruction of the only engineer conducting in Wash-two bankers are under arrest here on ington. He was recommended to succeed Major Morrow, and within two hours after the receipt of the first telegram Major Cosby received a telegram Major Spencer Cosby was to the destruction of the only engineer on duty in Wash-two bankers are under arrest here on into the only engineer on duty in Wash-two bankers are under arrest here on into the only engineer on duty in Wash-two bankers are under arrest here on into the only engineer on duty in Wash-two bankers are under arrest here on into the only engineer on duty in Wash-two bankers are under arrest here on into the only engineer on duty in Wash-two bankers are under arrest here on into the only engineer on duty in Wash-two bankers are under arrest here on into the only engineer on duty in Wash-two bankers are under arrest here on into the only engineer on duty in Wash-two bankers are under arrest here on into the only engineer on duty in Wash-two bankers are under arrest here on into the only engineer on duty in Wash-two bankers are under arrest here on into the only engineer on duty in Wash-two bankers are under arrest here on into the only engineer on duty in Wash-two bankers are under arrest here on into the only engineer on duty in Wash-two bankers are under arrest here on into the only engineer on duty in Wash-two bankers are under arrest here on into the only engineer on duty in Wash-two bankers are under arrest here take charge of the Engineer Commissioner's office. The orders came as a surprise to both

officers, and the War Department itself knows no more today about the reason for the transfer than does the general It is said that the President's action

in removing Major Morrow came within thirty-six hours after the receipt of the objectionable letter from the Com-

WARSHIPS ORDERED

United States Indicates That It Is Going to Take Part in Affairs South.

WILL RECOGNIZE **NEW GOVERNMENT**

Moves Made in Secret Tell of Well-Considered Plan

It is reported today that the battleship Montana and the cruiser North Carolina have been ordered to follow the battleship Maine to Venezuelan

The gunboat Dolphin left Port au Prince last night under sealed orders and the cruiser Des Moines, which is at that port, is held in readiness to pro-

ceed to Curacoa.

Before the end of another fortnight the United States will be on friendly relations with the new government that has been established or will be established in Venezuela, according to events that are working themselves out under the cover of the closest secrecy of the State and Navy Departments.

The State Department is handicaped by the fact that little information of an accurate or authentic source can be btained concerning the situation that as arisen in Caracas since the departure of Castro, but advices have een returned from various sources in dicating that Castro's reign is ended, or about to end.

Some Move Being Made.

Secretary Root refuses to indicate what move is intended by this Government, but it is certain that a play of some sort is being made, in which the departure of the Maine and other war vessels of the United States, whose movements are being concealed, has a

The Maine could reach Curacoa in a week's time, she having left Hampton Roads yesterday. The Dolphin and Des Moines, which have been ordered from Port au Prince upon a mystericus mission also, could make the Journey in less time. The Bureau of Navigation refuses to divulge the destination of any of these vessels, but it is admitted that they are sailing in connection with orders from the State Department.

Wants Americans There.

It is evident that Secretary Root de ires to have representatives of the United States at hand with a strong orce at their command, when the crisis in Venezuela is reached. He does not, nowever, desire to create the impression that he is, in any way, involving the United States in the moral encouragement of a revolutionary movement in Venezuela. This one explanation of the secrecy covering the movements of the

Venezuela Is Not Sad At Loss of Castro

PORT OF SPAIN, Trinidad, Dec. 22 -ro from the political life of Venezuela s accepted as an accomplished fact by enezuelans everywhere, according to advices that reached here today from

The ousting of the old ministry by STARTLE PITTSBURG acting President Gomez and the ap ointment of a new cabinet known to be ut of sympathy with Castro's administration, is accepted as the culminating step toward the overthrow of Castro nd is likely to be followed by the formal deposition of Castro.

The establishment of a new ministry has had a pacifying effect on the people, as with it came the hint that negotiations would be resumed as speedily as possible for the settlement of the dispute with Holland.

PITTSBURG. Pa., Dec. 22.—With a surprise that was startling, six common councilmen, one select councilman, and two bankers are under arrest here on charges of conspiracy, corrupt solicitation, and bribery.

The arrests are almost directly due to investigation by a bank examiner, at the instigation of President Roosevelt, who ascertained that a bank president and a cashier, without the knowledge of the board of directers, arranged to pay a large amount of currency in return for the institution being made a city depository.

W. W. Ramsey, president, and A. A. Vilsack, cashier of the German National Bank, are the bankers involved.

They were at once dismissed and their successors elected when the board of directors of the board of directors of the board of directors of the beautiful property of the board of directors of the branches of the common of the derivative of the branches of the board of directors of the branches of the common of the dealer of the feeling africants responsible for the breach with Holland, and Dr. Baldo, now traveling with Castro.

These two men were so intimately identified with Castro that their expunsion by Gomez can mean only one of Venezuela: the virtual disposition of Castro himself.

All over Venezuela: the virtual disposition of Castro in danger of immediate assassination were he to return now. In the deposed cabinet were Jose

return for ade a city depositor.

W. W. Ramsey, president.

A. Vilsack, cashier of the German .

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The information against A. A. Vilsack charges that he conspired with the accused councilmen in the interest of the German National, and other banks likely to be depositories, by often bribes to secure deposits of city is further alleged that is further alleged that is further alleged that Now that Acting President Gomez, of the day of the Castro regime would be scarcely less welcome to the United States than to Holland.

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